

imprisonment for not more than thirty (30) days, in the discretion of the court.

Conflicting laws repealed.

SEC. 3. All laws and clauses of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 4. This Act shall become effective upon its ratification.

In the General Assembly, read three times and ratified, this the 5th day of April, 1947.

H. B. 920

CHAPTER 977

AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER 61 OF THE SESSION LAWS OF 1945 RELATING TO THE RECORDS OF COTTON BROKERS AND OTHER PERSONS BUYING COTTON.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Ch. 61, Session Laws, 1945, amended.

SECTION 1. Chapter 61 of the Session Laws of 1945 is hereby amended by changing the period at the end of Section 1 to a colon and adding the following words:

Records required to be kept by cotton brokers as to purchases of cotton ginned outside State.

Provided, any person, firm or corporation who purchases cotton which has been ginned outside this State shall be required to keep only so much of the records herein above specified as purchasers are required to keep by the law of the State where said cotton was ginned.

Conflicting laws repealed.

SEC. 2. All laws and clauses of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. This Act shall become effective upon its ratification.

In the General Assembly read three times and ratified, this 5th day of April, 1947.

S. B. 184

CHAPTER 978

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE MEMBERS OF THE EASTERN BAND OF CHEROKEE INDIANS OF WESTERN NORTH CAROLINA TO HOLD, INHERIT AND ALIENATE PROPERTY, AND FURTHER SECURING TO THEM THE RIGHT OF LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Rights of Eastern Band, Cherokee Indians, to inherit, acquire, use, and dispose of property.

SECTION 1. Subject only to restrictions and conditions now existing or hereafter imposed under Federal statutes and regulations, or treaties, contracts, agreements, or conveyances be-